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ACTION EB-11

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR

SUBJECT: EXTENSION FOOD AID CONVENTION (FAC)

REF: STATE 28915

1. AGATT DISCUSSED ON FEBRUARY 13 REFTEL CONTENTS WITH
MAFF UNDER SECRETARY E.J.G. SMITH. SMITH APPARENTLY
UNAWARE EC SUBSTANTIALLY IN ARREARS IN MEETING MINIMUM
ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE FAC AND NOTED VOLUMES.

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2. SMITH CONFIRMED THAT POSSIBILITY FAC EXTENSION FOR ONE YEAR WAS UNDER REVIEW AT INTERDEPARTMENTAL POLICY LEVEL. HOWEVER, AS MOST MINISTERS OUT OF LONDON CAMPAIGNING, HE DID NOT BELIEVE ANY DECISION WOULD BE REACHED PRIOR TO ELECTION ON FEBRUARY 28. EVEN IF DECISION TO EXTEND AGREED TO BEFORE THAT DATE, HE SERIOUSLY DOUBTED IF ANY COMMITMENT WOULD BE UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO ELECTION RESULTS. IN SMITH'S VIEW, THEREFORE, POSTPONEMENT OF IWC FEBRUARY 20 - 22 MEETINGS WOULD NOT SERVE ANY USEFUL PURPOSE.

3. EMBASSY ALSO INFORMED ODA OF REFTEL CONTENTS BUT RECEIVED NO COMMENT.

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